

STATEWIDE PLANNING ADVISORY COUNCIL

State Plan for Alabama Higher Education 2009-10 to 2013-14

AGENDA

August 8, 2008 9:30 a.m. — 1:30 p.m.

9:30 a.m. - 9:40 a.m. Welcome and IntroductionsDr. Arrington

9:40 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Opening RemarksDr. Fitch

10:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. Team Presentations – 15 minutes each

Each team presents...

Definition, refinement of assigned priority

Presentation of SWOT

What conclusions have you drawn?

Team #1 Increasing Students' Preparedness for College generally

Team #2 Coordinated Pre K to 20 system with participation from all stakeholders

10:30 a.m. - 10:45 a.m. Break

10:45 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Team Presentations – 15 minutes each

Team #3 Shortage of graduates in Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics fields

Team #4 Tuition increase and other costs, such as fees and textbooks

Team #5 Skills students will need in the future, and on defining appropriate college preparation and admission standards

11:30 a.m. — 12:30 p.m. Develop a Statewide SWOTDr. Arrington & Mr. Ashurst

12:30 p.m. — -1:00 p.m. Working Lunch

1:00 p.m. — -1:30 p.m. Assignment –Developing Strategy. Dr. Arrington & Mr. Ashurst Set Goals – an overall goal for your priority

Develop strategies to achieve the goal

Guidelines

How will we achieve the goals associated with our priority?

Cannot be just about one campus; they need to be statewide

Think about who will implement the strategy

1:30 p.m. Closing